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The names of the six Nicaraguans who kidnapped and beat the Nicaraguan Military Attache to the United States, Colonel Camilo Gonzalez, in San Salvador on 2 July while he was awaiting air passage there to the U. S. have become known. They are Colonel Luis Valladares Torres, who is reported arranging the transit of arms from Guatemala to Nicaragua; Raul Jimenez, Nole Salvatierra, Noel Bermudez, Armando Navas, and Camilo Cervantes. The last five are understood to have Army rank inferior to that of Colonel Valladares. The police have not arrested the men but have ordered them to live in Ahuachapen or leave the country. They have been in El Salvador since shortly after the Nicaraguan coup d'etat.

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